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MEMORANDUM FOR: Ambassador Heyward Isham
Director for Combatting Terrorism
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FROM: : Cord Meyer, Jr.

SUBJECT : Two Articles on International Terrorism in
International Issues Monthly Review, 22 November 1977

1. I bring to your attention and attach two articles on international terrorism that appear in our National Foreign Assessment Center publication, International Issues Monthly Review, 22 November. The article on page 6 entitled The Problem of Patron State Support, contains a summary and principal judgments and conclusions of a much longer study that is being coordinated by our Office of Regional and Political Analysis and will appear in December.

2. I very much welcome any comment that you and your staff may wish to make, particularly on the article on the Problem of Patron State Support. It has been difficult to concentrate analytical resources on the international terrorism target, but I think we are making some progress as I think these articles tend to indicate. I look forward to having your reaction.

Cord Meyer, Jr.

Attachment: As stated